

# THE HAMLIN HERALD

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## Annual Community Party Held By Chamber Of C.

If Ye Editor had his way, this Hamlin town, this "Friendly Hamlin" and its area would have a "Community Party" about three or FOUR times per year instead of just once. Well, that's the way we think about it.

When we assemble in the usual place, the Methodist church building, and begin to see our neighbors, some we hardly ever see, except maybe on Sunday, or perhaps in a stern every-day sort of way, we say when we see them, not only from the town part of this Hamlin community, but from the rural districts into which we are merging faster and faster every year, till now you can't tell a "city dude" from a rural farmer; when we see the smiling faces of our neighboring towns' representatives, and get a renewed realization that ALL of us are in the same boat, we say it makes something hop up in our "inners" that gives a fellow a kind of new kick at being alive to enjoy it...hence, therefore, notwithstanding, we begin to wish such affairs as that held at the Methodist church Tuesday night could be duplicated and improved upon, more than one time each year in fact, about three or four times per year.

Yes, sir-e-e, Ye Editor feels there is something in neighbors getting together as a community, where no lines are drawn, where there are no isms, or straight-jacket doctrines, where Bill is Bill, and Jane is Jane and no fastidious formalities; where the hand shake and the smile is genuine, where the dress makes no difference whether overalls or cut-aways frocks or gowns all look alike...but let's be honest, frank and natural, for what old guy is he who but likes to see a fellow neighbor diked out in a new tie, and shirt, with a clean shave...it is a change you know, and proves somebody's come; and remember how you want to tell the neighbor's wife how pretty she looks in that evening gown, or how becoming her new hair dress is with the beautiful flowers and the colorful corsages that are so prominent on banquet nights. You bet, folks do look different when they come together and exchange greetings and good wishes, like they did Tuesday night in Hamlin when the Chamber of Commerce was host in their Annual Community Party.

You see if there's anything in the world that people dislike it is deceit or hypocrisy, sham, and make-believe, so we impress upon visitors in this Hamlin town, that the hospitality and the hearty greetings are surely genuine, and that formality and shyness have no part with us when we throw a party. So no wonder everyone had a good time in the building and in the basement at the tables and during the program Tuesday night. There were five long tables ringed with 200 chucked flat plates with chairs so close one could not wiggle about except he chuck the ribs of the one next to him. At the ends of these tables were host and hostess. It was a frame-up by L. H. McBride, Bob Campbell Mac Brundage, Tate May and Roy Gilbreath to sit as far away from their beautiful wives as possible. You see their wives played the hostesses up at the other end of the tables where they could not know whether their husbands were using the proper eating instruments or not. That's one trick the smart old boys played and it's too late now to hurt by telling on them. The hostesses looked pretty and their men looked happy, so...things worked out OK.

If there's anybody in West Texas who can excell Wiley Caffey of Abilene in singing, wish you'd trot 'em out. Caffey and his accompanist, Mr. Harold Thomas, helped in the entertainment in fine fashion, with their music.

When time came to introduce the visitors, Abilene, Albany, Anson, Roby, Rotan, McCaulley, Sylvester and Stamford had several representatives, and there were several from rural communities. The McCaulley bunch captured the "cake" by having almost as many present as Hamlin did and then to clinch it good and dandy, Levi McCollum, assisted by his daughter, presented the hostess of their table, Mrs. Tate May, with a beautiful basket of flowers, so also was a pot flower presented



PRESIDENT, G. R. BENNETT

to the Chamber of Commerce Secretary, Mrs. Wilson. Then the secret was out. McCollum said the Farmers & Merchants National Bank was due the credit for the "accumulation" of the McCaulley crowd, and therefore he presented a beautiful bouquet to the Bank by designating Miss Lennie Greenway as receiver. McCaulley got a booming hand for all this...the flower gifts solves the problem of why Mayor McCollum was prying into what and how the programs were arranged. He was priming himself for his unique part on the program.

A banquet party without a speech would be unheard of. So to carry out the "Military-patriotic" theme of the evening, it was natural that a few "uniforms" should be present. Red and white predominated at the tables in the room and on the program-menus, and completing the atmosphere two long serving Regular Army officers were invited as special guests. They were Lieut.-Col. Chas. L. Driscoll and Captain Sullivan of the Medical Reserve Training Center of Camp Barkeley. Col. Driscoll was introduced by Mayor Culbertson, without the usual jokes, for Mayor Joe was too far out on a limb from Col. Driscoll and Capt. Sullivan to get much on them. He told the audience that Capt. Sullivan was a "Tar-heel", which means a man from North Carolina, and that the best joke on Col. Driscoll was that he was from Brooklyn. But no one can make much off army officers who started at the bottom 20 or 25 years ago as soldiers and "toe-held" their way to their present rank. Driscoll had been all over the world in his 23 years of soldiering. And the most impressive place was with Gen. MacArthur in the Philippines as late as 1937, when they had but two majors over there and one of them was a little fellow by the name of Eisenhower.

Did you ever hear a professional soldier speak? Colonel Driscoll was characteristically "soldierly", very modest, very free from boastfulness—no bombast, no flattery, just plain severe military expressions, without flights of oratory. To the writer the most "stickling point" was that just a few alarmingly short years before this great war started, our standing armed and naval forces were dangerously small, and that army men who knew the danger had first to teach Congress and the people that our safety required bigger numbers and more material and training, and for this the army men were called "warmongers". We do not believe many who heard him will ever speak so disparagingly again of the men to whom we look for protection. The Col. made his talk sharp and to the satisfaction of all.

New directors and all the hold-over directors, and the new president and vice-president were introduced, following a short report of the retiring president, Henry Albritton. They were: R. H. Campbell, Roy Gilbreath, Henry Albritton, J. B. Terrell, Harold Bonner, W. C. Russell, Mac Brundage and Eddie Jay.

New directors, G. R. Bennett, A. Spencer, L. H. McBride and J. E. Moody.

Vice-President, Mac Brundage

The meeting closed with the singing of "God Bless America" and an eloquent prayer by Rev. Harrell.

## Robert S. Johnson Injured By Gin Belt

Tuesday, while Robert S. Johnson, Manager of the Hamlin Farmers Co-operative Gin was applying some belt fixing in the unloading storage room an arm was pulled under the belt and badly injured. He was taken to the Stamford hospital and Wednesday the X-Ray showed no bones broken. But the arm was badly bruised and wrenched.

## FORMER PLASTERCO MAN DIED AT SWENSON, SUN.

Jim Perry, 51, living 10 miles north of Swenson, died at 2:30 Sunday morning, four hours after he was stricken with a heart attack.

He transacted business in Aspermont and at the court house Saturday.

He had lived many years in Stone-wall county. He formerly resided at Plasterco and was a brother of Mrs. W. A. Brown and Mrs. A. Anderson and a brother-in-law of J. W. Riddle of Plasterco.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Curry and Mrs. Gene Curry of Oklahoma City and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stephens of Abilene, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wiatt the past week end.

## Flyer Killed Who Was An Escort to Hamlin

Information has been received in Hamlin that Lieut. Chal Daniels, of Longview who was the roommate of Lieut. Warren Nobles at the Greenville Air Field, and who was one of the two young Lieutenants in the escorts to Hamlin, met a frightful death in a crash while on a routine flight to San Antonio. His body was burned when found. He had been missing since Saturday according to information to Mrs. Nobles in Hamlin.

## Hamlin People's Mother Died At Sedwick Tues.

Mrs. Paulina Jones, age 85 years, a pioneer of Shackelford county, was buried Wednesday. She had been critically ill for three weeks.

She was born Molly Paulina Gooch in Baldwin, Miss., Jan. 30, 1858. She was married there Dec. 23, 1880 to W. J. Jones, and they came in 1886 to Celeste, Hunt county, Texas, from which place they moved to the Sedwick home in 1902.

Mrs. Jones is survived by four children, S. E. Jones and Mrs. J. R. Reynolds of Hamlin and Mrs. T. L. Haggard of Sedwick and Mrs. L. B. Bosser of Moran.

## For Ration Book No. 2

OPA Form No. R-1301

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
OFFICE OF  
PRICE ADMINISTRATION

## CONSUMER DECLARATION Processed Foods and Coffee

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I am authorized to apply for and receive a War Ration Book Two for each person listed below who is a member of my family unit, or the other person or persons for whom I am acting whose War Ration Book One I have submitted to the Board.

That the name of each person and number of his or her War Ration Book One are accurately listed below:

That none of these persons is confined or resident in an institution, or is a member of the Armed Forces receiving subsistence in kind or eating in separate messes under an officer's command:

That no other application for War Ration Book Two for these persons has been made:

That the following inventory statements are true and include all indicated foods owned by all persons included in this Declaration:

### Coffee

1. Pounds of coffee owned on November 28, 1942, minus 1 pound for each person included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.
2. Number of persons included in this Declaration whose age as stated on War Ration Book One is 14 years or older.

### Canned Foods

- Include all commercially canned fruits (including spiced); canned vegetables; canned fruit and vegetable juices; canned soups, chili sauce, and catsup.
- Do not include canned olives; canned meat and fish; pickles, relish; jellies, jams, and preserves; spaghetti, macaroni, and noodles; or home-canned foods.
3. Number of cans, bottles, and jars (8-ounce size or larger) of commercially packed fruits, vegetables, juices and soups, chili sauce and catsup owned on February 21, 1943, minus 5 for each person included in this Declaration.
  4. Number of persons included in this Declaration.

The name of each person included in this Declaration and the number of his or her War Ration Book One is:

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(Signature of applicant or authorized agent)

(Address)

(City and State)

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Each person applying for Ration Book No. 2 for a family unit in the registration Feb. 24-27, will be required to fill out the consumer declaration, reproduced above. He will NOT affix his signature, however, until he appears before the registrar in his school district. Pounds of coffee on hand on Nov. 28, minus one for each person, and the number of commercially canned fruits and vegetables in the pantry on Feb. 21, minus five for each person, must be declared on this form. YOU MAY CLIP OUT THIS FORM AND USE IT. Ration Board officials emphasize that this blank may be clipped and filled out and used as the Consumer Declaration form to obtain War Ration Book No. 2. This form may be used in the place of the official declaration form. It must be properly filled out and presented with Ration Book No. 1 to secure Book No. 2.

## Community-Wide Men's Rally At Baptist Church

Mr. L. B. Ackers, prominent rancher and merchant of Abilene, will be the principal speaker at a community-wide men's gathering at the First Baptist church on Tuesday, February 23, at 8:00 P. M. This is Mr. Ackers' second engagement in Hamlin. Some weeks ago he spoke at the First Methodist church to a group meeting there. Those who heard him were so impressed that it was decided by some of the ministers to invite him again and put forth a special effort to get men from all our churches and no church to attend the meeting.

This is a most unusual opportunity for business men to hear in language that all can understand, a challenge that should mean much in their lives. This rancher talks straight from the shoulder, impresses you with his sincerity, and will make you want to be a better man. He is a prominent layman in the First Christian church in Abilene. This man is being brought back to Hamlin because we believe his testimony will mean much to men if they will hear him. Please don't fail to come!

H. E. East

Miss Bernice Beard came in on Thursday night of last week from Washington to spend a few days at home with her parents.

## METHODIST CHURCH

JAMES E. HARRELL, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 A. M.  
Morning Worship at 11 o'clock.  
Youth Fellowship Recreational Hr. 6 to 7 P. M., in church basement, under the direction of Mrs. Joe Culbertson.  
Youth Fellowship Program at 7:00 o'clock.  
Evening service at 8 o'clock.  
Woman's Society of Christian Service Monday afternoon at 3:00.



Rev. B. L. Nance, our conference Evangelist of Phoenix, Arizona, will begin a two weeks visitation and dedication campaign next Sunday morning. He will preach a layman's day sermon Sunday morning. The men will occupy the choir and Mr. A. B. Carlton will preside over the people. The theme for layman's day is: Methodist Men in World Reconstruction. All men of the community have a special invitation to attend the services.

The pastor will bring a message, Sunday night on the subject: "Heavenly Light In Earthly Darkness." Bro. Nance will direct the discussions on Latin America Missions on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights of next week at 8:00 o'clock. This very vital question should demand the attention of every person. You cannot afford to miss these discussions so make your plans to attend every one of them. Our Tuesday night session will be called off for the community layman's service at the First Baptist church under the direction of the men from the First Christian church in Abilene.

In our services you will always find a hearty welcome. Come and see!

## THIS WEEK

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT

*This*

AND A LITTLE BIT OF

**THAT**

Juvenile delinquency is attracting wide attention all over the country these days...remember that happened once before when this nation was in war...maybe it is because the larger boys have gone to the front and those at home have a wide open field so quickly...the big boys now are not over 17, you see and they have full swing down the road of life... "Delinquency is increasing in rural areas" so says Dr. Southerland of Texas University...it is common to see symptoms of young life feeling itself in this war time...let's hope that the roads will not be filled with hitchhikers after the war is over, similar to what was seen a few years ago...the girl problem is to loom large in America from here on, as she takes a wider place in human affairs.

Wonder why the millions of young people in this country could not be induced to start some extra form of food production, something that would be attractive, instructive with dollars and sense value...fat calves, scampering lambs, cackling hens, piglets for pork, bushels of eggs, and fryers galore, to say nothing about things grown in the ground, all of these, and more, make for fine physical fitness and something noble to build strong, clean, law-abiding citizens...it would seem that the younger generation has its greatest chance right now...nothing would give the young people of the Hamlin community more happiness than to have the honor of sending a car load of food stuff to some sea port to help the starving boys and girls just after the war is over.

The WAVES are on the ocean sides now...and isn't it peculiar how letters build names? W, A, V, E, and S, spells WAVES, and this, the Navy has loved and fought for ages, but alas! now the sailor boys will smile and prances before the WAVES...the WAVES! Ye Editor can't tell from whence they come or whither they go...but the WAVES and their likes must go on forever.

Jabber, jabber, Ruhml, Ruhml, chatter, chatter, and there's no end to the confusion. One day we hear this, and the next that from high-up folks who seem to have forgotten how to use English language to convey simple understandings. Wonder if Elmer Davis could not do something about the stuff that is sabotaging this nation over the radios, from the governmental headquarters and through highly paid correspondents? Let some one have a hint, an embryonic idea, and slip it out and before an hour, there is enough conjecture raging up and down the land to befuddle 90 per cent of the people. There should be some way to shut up the babblers just like they do the sailor boys who come home from battle and can't say a word.

## Important Notice— Men Are Wanted

The Jones County Local Board cannot find the following registrants: Willie Eugene Cloud, Edwin Herman Mueller, Frank James Hilscher, Titus Jackson (colored), Homer Everett Talkington, Lorenzo Cantu Lopez, Jimmie Williams (colored), Socorro Ramirez, Nolan L. Stroud, Paul Buena Gomez.

Any one having any information regarding the address of any of the above, please contact the Selective Service Board, at Anson, Texas.

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## Keep Remembering

That copy for the Herald must come in early enough to be set into type or it may miss the boat. Don't blame the force if it comes in Thursday and does not appear till a week later. Just Remember.

## LETTER FROM A SHIP BUILDER

Port Arthur, Texas

February 10, 1943

Dear Editor:

Inclosed find a "One Flag" for which try to send us the paper for awhile.

Port Arthur is a fine city, 2 feet elevation, and 41,000 population and the largest refineries in the world, lots of ocean vessels load here, yet we can't get but four gallons of gas. Two room apartments rent for \$50 to \$60 per month, eggs 60 cents per dozen, milk 17 or 18 cents . . . everybody working; you can't get anything done at any price . . . 17,000 working at Orange Shipyard, 93 per cent are buying 20 per cent of their wages in War Bonds . . . this 10 per cent stuff is a joke to the shipyard here.

We have sent five big destroyers to the front and have 7 more to go soon. We also build landing barges and escort vessels. The destroyers are the greatest fighting machines on the sea. They carry 5 cannon with a range of 10 miles, 5 torpedo tubes that will sink anything that floats 4 miles . . . machine guns, ash cans for subs. They have 90,000 H. P. engines and a speed of 72 miles per . . . can reverse and come back within four times their length. They carry 625 steam pressure with pop-off at 640, can get steam up from cold and start within twenty minutes.

Send us the Herald till the "soap runs out" and maybe we will have another \$ by that time.

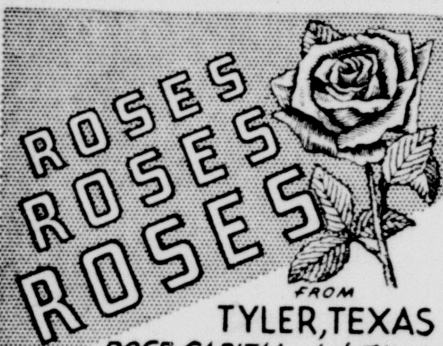
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TALISMAN (2-TONED) 4  
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## TRIM SHIP FOR ACTION!

We are engaged in a war to save our American tradition of liberty and opportunity for ourselves and our children. Our leaders have committed us to become the arsenal of democracy; to furnish food for our allies; through our lend-lease to help finance the Allied war machine and, finally, to raise and equip an army of some 10 million men.

Any one of these jobs is a tremendous undertaking. We are thousands of miles from the theater of war, and this involves tremendous problems of transportation. All of these jobs together will tax every resource of the United States. Already we face rationing and priorities in our materials and acute shortage of manpower, and a burden of taxes which indicates our financial resources are strained to the utmost.

Of a certainty, we must have complete unity if we are to do this job, and face the postwar future with hope and confidence.

American industry, agriculture and finance must use to the maximum the productive power, initiative and intelligence latent in every American.

### No Time or Place for Drones

There must be no drones hidden away on public payrolls, engaged in peacetime experiments which are useless under the emergency of war. Every branch of our military service is devoted to the sole purpose of fighting and winning this war. Our government, both local, state and national, should inspire and lead in the support our civilian population gives to the war effort. Unnecessary civic expenditures, surplus payrollers, useless economic and social experiments have no place in a war emergency.

The new Congress is tackling this job with a will and a purpose. Those Congressmen are our representatives and we, the people, should support them to the limit. Right now they are trying to bring some order and efficiency in the prevention of excessive profits in war contracts by the Army, Navy and Maritime commission. The present law, passed by the old Congress, provides for a "re-negotiation" of their war contracts by each department.

### New Bureaus Not Needed

There are over three million of these contracts. Not more than 5 per cent will show any excessive profits after taxes have been paid. The ordinary man on the street would say that the Internal Revenue Department can easily discover any excess profit from any war contract. Certainly we can use the manpower that would be wasted to much better advantage in other places.

We, the people, want Congress to adopt the most direct, efficient and economical method of doing this job. None of us believes in excess profits on war contracts. There are ceiling prices on most things we produce. Now let's get at the job of cutting down unnecessary civic expenditures and cutting unnecessary payrollers off the payroll.

## WE ARE AMERICANS

Our United States is a government by all, conceived and dedicated by and with the consent of the governed. It constantly promotes individual dignity, worth and opportunity; guarantees to every citizen freedom of religion, speech, assembly, press and petition; safeguards private property; maintains equal justice before the law; provides free schools for all, and constantly seeks social and economic security and the blessings of liberty for young and old.

This is our country. Individuals or groups may have fallen short or failed in their duty, but we, the people, press on to our destiny. We, the people, love and cherish our Republic. We pledge support for its institutions with our lives and sacred honor.

### WHITE FACE BULL

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## Mrs. E. W. Bound Died At Home of Daughter Mrs. Ferguson Monday

Death closed the life of a prominent and useful Texas pioneer woman, Mrs. E. W. Bounds, at 12:35 P. M., Monday, February 15th, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Ferguson, two miles south of Hamlin.

Mrs. Bounds was 72 years of age and had lived with Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Ferguson, most of the time the past two years. She had been in failing health for about six years. She was born at Chilton, Texas, and had been married twice. Her first husband was C. F. Dickson, and of this union she is survived by one son, C. F. Dickson, who is in war service in Alaska, and two daughters, Mrs. Jack Smith of Colorado, Texas, and Mrs. S. C. Ferguson of Hamlin.

Her second husband was the late E. W. Bounds, who died six years ago. They made their home in Fort Worth till his death. To this union two children survive. They are Mrs. Earl Powell of Stanton, Texas, and E. W. Bounds, Jr., a war service man in training at Ft. Belvoir, Va.

The outstanding points of Mrs. Bounds' life were that she was an active church member of the Baptist church from early girlhood. She was a woman of extensive activities in political, civic and club organizations. She might have been regarded as that type of dignified old fashioned Southern womanhood, who took matters worth while seriously, and had a supreme joy in serving good causes. She was an enthusiastic member of the D. A. R. and also of the U. D. C. of which she served as State President. In political affairs, she had the honor of being one of the women on the Board that directed the State Reform School for Boys at Gatesville, Texas. She received her appointment from the then Governor Colquit. Her name and activities in behalf of the delinquent youth is stamped upon the records and structures of that institution.

The Barrow Funeral Directors were in charge of the body and the interment was beside that of her late husband. The funeral was delayed to allow the son, E. W. Bounds, Jr. to arrive from his post in Virginia. All of the other children were able to attend the funeral except the son in Alaska.

## A 62-Year Record of 2-Way Help\*

## FOR WOMEN

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\*See directions on label

Charlie Pitcock and family of Big Spring were here this week after attending the funeral of their father, Jim Perry who died at Swenson.

A few days ago three Hamlin boys, De France and Billy Joe Burton and Earl Smith entered aviation training at San Antonio and were all classed as Aviation Cadet Pilots. This bunch of fellows will make fast progress.

### THOROUGHbred STALLIONS

I have a very fancy registered stallion for service at my place eight miles west of Hamlin—the Cooper Ranch. Only few outside mares permitted, also have a registered Palomino stallion.

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## Attended Decoration Ceremonies At Pyote

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Crow went to Pyote on Thursday of last week to attend the decoration ceremonies of the famous 19th Heavy Bombardment Group, in response to a special telegram from the commander of the Field.

The 19th Bombardment Group was the one Sgt. Howard E. Crow did service with in the Java-Australia-New Guinea area. When he was home a few weeks ago, his general appearance proved he had been through some tough days. Then he and all the remaining men of the Four Squadrons were sent to Pyote for recuperation.

Mr. and Mrs. Crow could fill up a newspaper page telling about their trip and impressions at Pyote. (Now Pyote is 'way out west, about half way between Monahans and Pecos.) They got to see medals pinned on 116 men for "Meritorious Achievement" while participating in war flights in the Southwest Pacific. Mrs. Crow said there were to be over 1,000 awards made and that they almost froze and blew away while seeing the 161 medals pinned. That number were for services in the Philippines.

Mr. and Mrs. Crow were deeply impressed when they saw the soldiers standing at salute while the band played the "Star Spangled Banner". They said that the civilians, mothers, fathers and others shed tears at that time. Then it must be recalled that 2 out of 3 in the 19th group never got to return to this beloved country.

The ceremony of pinning medals and the various formations in the parades. The colors and everything was almost beyond description . . . especially to civilians . . . and there was near by the famous "Susie Q Plane." It would take a history book to tell and explain it all. The fact that Mr. and Mrs. Crow got to surprise the Sgt. was treat enough for them . . . this got even with Howard for dropping down in Hamlin without letting his parents know ahead.

## 38 More Men From Jones Co. In Army

The following men were sent to the induction station last week at Abilene, Texas, and accepted. Those who accepted 7 days furlough to start with were sent to Camp Wolters the past Tuesday.

Carlos B. Williams, San Antonio.  
Malcolm Buford Pate, Hamlin.  
Edward W. Gardner, Hamlin.  
Norman Lee Rogers, Stamford.  
Troy (Boots) Walker, Hamlin.  
Charles T. Rust, Abilene.  
Floyd W. Bristow, Rule.  
Robert M. Bessire, Hamlin.  
Cecil LeRoy Adams, Anson.  
Clarence L. Blancet, Stamford.  
Carlton Lee Plumlee, Stamford.  
Floyd Wayne Collum, Nugent.  
Earnest Holley, Hamlin.  
Lee F. Smith, Hamlin.  
William L. McMillan, Hamlin.  
Billy Marvin Lackey, Stamford.  
William James Todd, Stamford.  
Alfred C. Berry, Stamford.  
Reisel Roberts Horn, Anson.  
Edward Andrew Shaw, Hamlin.  
Dabid Deleon Cedillo, Stamford.  
Clarence E. Tucker, Anson.  
Teddy Earl Pitcock, Hamlin.  
James R. Caudle, Jr., Avoca.  
James W. Hollums, Avoca.  
Robert M. Johnson, Anson.  
Charles D. Johnson, Anson.  
Elby Glen Liftin, Richmond.  
Clifford B. Barr, Lubbock.  
Julius F. Cannon, Hamlin.  
Loren J. Kemp, Hale Center.  
John D. Halliburton, Stamford.  
Floyd E. Farmer, Hamlin.  
William J. Feris, Stamford.  
James T. Stell, Jr., Stamford.  
William L. Godfrey, Anson.  
Wayne D. Yaws, Stamford.  
Othel Camp, Anson.

Lieutenant J. B. Terrell sent a message from New York that he had landed there on Saturday. Every day since, his parents and wife have listened for his footsteps. Evidently he has been sent home to fully recover from his wound received in North Africa.

Pfc. Buford C. Howard and wife and baby of Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., came down for a ten days furlough with home folks, in Hamlin and other places in this part of the state.

The Herald has been noticing a colored soldier in town, and we see he is Pvt. Steve Brooks, better known as "Curley" who has been down in Louisiana learning how to fight Japs or Germans. Alright Soldier Brooks (Curley) we are for you and when any man gets into the uniform for his country it means more than you understand.

## About Soldiers--Sailors

### NOTICE TO ALL SERVICE

Men and women, whether you are in the army, navy, a seabee, or serving as a civilian in essential war work, whatever capacity you may be in, the world around, in danger or not so much in danger, Ye Editor wants every one of you to know that it is his heart's desire to pay you every speck of honor and give you due credit for every thing you may be doing to help this great and beloved America of ours finish a nasty job and win a peace that we all can live in, and come back home sound and happy again. If it would do some good we would be willing to stand in honor salute to you, bare our old bald head to the hot sun till the skin peels off. So whatever you may be, remember there is one certain fellow back home who does not forget a single one of you. Every speck of what you must do is helping win for you and US more than we can estimate—Editor.

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### ONE FROM ALASKA

January 26, 1943

Dear Mr. Pope:

Just received my December 25th issue of the Hamlin Herald. It was a Christmas gift itself. The Herald is always a month or two late reaching me, but I really enjoy reading it just the same. It is a nice thing to read about people back in civilization.

I have two buddies from home close to me here. Tellus Wicker and Jack Perryman. We had a great reunion when we got together here. However, we are in different organizations and seldom see each other.

I have been here 9 months and don't know how much longer I will be here.

Like the other boys that have been writing to the Herald, I can't say anything about my work or location, but here's hoping it won't be long until we can all have a reunion at home and tell our experiences. I think my travels and experiences can compare with any of them.

Keep the Herald coming, it always has a place when it arrives.

I'd like to say hello to all my friends and thanks for all the nice Christmas gifts I received.

I am glad some of the boys are getting furloughs, although there will be none for me.

Luck to you and the Herald, and "Keep 'em Flying".

Pfc. Lloyd Address  
APO 944 Care P. M.  
Seattle, Washington

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### BACK FROM AFRICA

Here's a Hamlin boy, just arrived in New York, maybe, after being in Africa. Since he did not even have his name on the envelope, nor on the letter, we'll just call him Thurston, the Sailor. He says, "Feb. 12th: Just got back from Africa yesterday, so you see why I have not written you. We escorted a convoy of transports to Casablanca, loaded with soldiers and supplies. It really was a swell trip. From Casablanca we went to Dakar farther down in South Africa. We had liberty there and it was really some place to see, just like you see in the movies.

It really was hot there. We went on liberty in our whites and got a good sun tan. Yesterday when we came into port it was snowing . . . it really seemed funny. From Dakar we brought back a French battleship and cruisers. They are going to re-arm them. I am going to the hospital Monday and have my tonsils taken out." This boy does not tell everything, but he did send back a piece of French paper money, with this on it "5 (Banque De L'Afrique Occidentale) 5" and down at the bottom it had "Cinque Francs". If you are a French language reader you might say it was Five Francs value on the Western Bank of Africa. O yes, it also had the picture of a sad-looking, dark complexion man on one side looking straight at you and one the other side another map of the same race under a canopy weaving with the oldest fashion: loom. The Herald thanks the Sailor' father for a peep at his son's letter . . . and thank you, Thurston.

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Aviation Cadet Claude J. Adkin writes a card from Santa Anna, Calif., that they are really working hard, but getting plenty to eat and learning a lot.

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Military authorities at Coleman indicate that Robert L. Fowler, ag 22, of Hamlin, has been lifted to Aviation Lt. Cadet, training for Pilot Flying in the Army Air Corps. Robert is one of 10 out of 200 men who gets one night off each week and that's a pretty good help.

Lieutenant Bill Scott, son of Mrs. Frances Scott of South Hamlin, came up from Camp Bowie Saturday for a short week end visit with his mother. Lieut. Scott is a 1938 Pied Piper and has been in the army since October 10, 1938. He graduated in the class of 1938, along with such fine fellows as Roy Edwin Tims (who was lost, maybe captured in Java) and "Bub" Locke, now Lt. Locke. These three boys entered the National Guard at Plainview in Oct. while they were students at Wayland College. Lieutenant Scott is still in the Field Artillery, and his crews handle the biggest field guns.

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Over in Hawaii, is another good old Hamlin boy, who is doing a great part in the struggle of war. He is Leray LaBaume. He has recently written his mother, Mrs. C. E. LaBaume, that he had received a V-letter on which she had put 20 cents in stamps. He told her mail comes now by boat and the extra stamp does no good. Leray is employed by the United States Army Air Corps as a Radio Electrical Engineer and their motto is "We keep 'em Flying." He goes ahead and says, "If it was not for we Civilian Engineers the Air Force wouldn't have half as many planes to fly as they do." He says "We are the people who play an important part in this gigantic struggle . . . after the planes go out to battle and get shot up, they limp back to our shops and we make them like new again." Yes sir, Leray, it makes no difference how good the flyer, first the credit goes to the fellows who make 'em safe for flying, and therefore every mechanic, from the grease private to the most complicated job, has a big part in knocking down Japs. . . Give 'em all you got. LaBaume says "The reason I have not written sooner was because I have been away on work elsewhere. I can't tell you now, but I'll tell all about it some day. I'll say one thing, it was really a long airplane ride." All in all, LaBaume's letter was very enlightening. One thing more, Leray has not gone so far away but that his taxes keep right on his heels. . . sure, he says, "It is either pay 'em or else, and therefore I'll pay." That means he is doing double duty.

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Pvt. "Jiggs" Gold, who has been getting on to the secrets of making airplanes fly up at Lubbock, has been moved to Waco, to learn some more. He enjoyed a few days at home last week and was looking prim and fit.

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Information is that our former very accommodating pharmacist, Gene Robinson, has a Pfc. before his name and has been moved to the Fitzsimmons General Hospital in Denver Colorado, to continue his military services.

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Sgt. A. L. Hudson Jr., from the Victoria, Texas, Aloe Air Field, came in on Tuesday of last week to visit just three days with his mother, Mrs. O. S. Hunter, and family. Sgt. Hudson has been in almost two years.

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Robert L. Fowler, son of Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Fowler, has been appointed Cadet Flight Lieutenant, in the 43-G Class at the Army Air Corps primary flying school at Coleman, Texas. Robert has been making good from the very start, and here's hoping that he becomes one of America's outstanding airmen.

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Nothing has been heard from W. B. Teague, Flight Officer, who was reported very ill about Feb. 1, except that another letter addressed to his mother, dated Jan. 24, five days before she received the news of his illness message. The letter of Jan. 24 was written on Red Cross paper, but he did not hint that he was sick (the paper was proof enough) and he must have become worse by the 29th. As long as no more news is heard, it is "good news" it would seem. Teague last letter said he had met a Hamlin boy, Charles Prater, whose folks send him the home paper, and "he is going to save the papers for me."

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Sgt. Elmer Cooper came in last Friday night on a six days furlough from the Army Air Base at Pueblo, Colorado. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Terry Cooper of the Mt. Zion community. Mrs. Cooper wears a "Three Stars" service pin for her sons, Sgt. Elmer, Pvt. Roy E. of Palm Springs, Calif., and Pvt. Reed at Ft. Bliss, while here they visited Mrs. Cooper's sister, Mrs. Carl Dodson near Guthrie.



## WE SLING GYPSUM

Gypsy Reporters  
(Frances Nichols-Minnie Lee Elkins)

It has been reported that doctors are scarce, so you had better keep on good terms with the doctor you have now.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fairey received word from their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Johnson, that an 8 1-2 pound boy, Weldon Robert, had arrived last Saturday at the Lubbock hospital.

Mrs. W. F. Heiter of St. Louis, Mo., is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lewis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ewing and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Ewing and family of Lubbock, came down Sunday night to attend the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. R. W. Weaver of Anson. Many of her grand children and great-grand children of Plasterco attended. Everyone knew Mrs. Weaver as Grandmother Weaver and everyone will miss her visits, because she always brought the happiness and joy that one always receives by living a Christian life.

A letter from Billy Calhoun, who is a Pvt. in the Marine Corps, was received by Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fairey this week. Billy asked Mrs. Fairey to tell Plasterco hello, and keep buying bonds so we can get the bullets, and the sooner we get them the sooner we'll all be home." Billy also tells Mrs. Fairey that he intends to do well and do the best he can on this job.

Little Betty Sue Galloway had to be taken to the doctor three times last week, on account of illness. She is doing much better now.

Mrs. H. E. Espy returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bond after a short visit in Sweetwater.

J. W. Riddle returned to Wichita Falls after a short visit home.

Little Stanley Jones was a very sick boy last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Connally and daughter Barbara Ann, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bond Tuesday.

The W. M. S. had a quilting in the home of Mrs. John Doby Wednesday.

Hopie and Betty Jo Green entertained a number of girls in their home Saturday night.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Griffin Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Barney Smith, Mrs. Ada Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Otha Brown.

We are proud to welcome Mrs. Early and son, Mr. Audrey Early to our community.

We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Otha Brown and son who are moving to Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Sim Martin and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ferguson and son of Sylvester Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hines enjoyed a visit from Mr. Hines' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hines of Hamlin Sunday.

Pvt. Dickie Wallace came home Friday for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Wallace. Dickie returned to his post at Waco Sunday. Elvis Wallace who has also been here visiting, returned to San Francisco, Monday morning, where he will be assigned to a ship.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Vernon returned home after a week's visit in Sagerton and Munday, Texas.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. "Possum" Dominey Sunday were, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Dominey and family and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dominey and family.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. June Rhoton Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rhoton, and Mrs. Ruby Guest.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Doby and son Laurence, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Thorne of Rotan.

Garland Preston came up Saturday from Grand Prairie, to undergo an appendicitis operation in Sweetwater hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gibbons visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Raney in Neinda Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Meeks of Longworth spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Marion Rhoton.

Mrs. W. M. Fancher and Mrs. J. W. Fancher of McCaulley, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Fancher Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marchman and daughter, visited Mr. Marchman's sister, Mrs. Gable of Hamlin Saturday.

Walter Dominey and sister, Mrs. Jack Scott, went to Fort Worth Monday. Mr. Dominey is now employed at Consolidated. Mrs. Scott will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lester and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lester in Ranger over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nall and son visited Mrs. Nall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Jones in Lubbock over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Criswell received a letter from their son, Pvt. Dick Criswell, saying he was out of the hospital. Dick has had pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Prather enjoyed a visit from Mrs. Prather's mother, Mrs. Bertha Gregg from Neinda last week.

Mrs. Gene Abbott of Rule, is visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dominey this week.

Miss Effie Brown is here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown and family. Effie is to leave soon for California.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dominey and daughter Billie, visited in the home of Bill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dominey of Rule.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Brown and family received word from their son and brother W. A., that he is somewhere in the hospital with a broken shoulder. He expects to come home Easter. He has collected quite a number of souvenirs from the Japs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Doby have heard from their sons, Staff Sgt. Willie Doby, and Tech. Sgt. Lewis Doby. Willie is now in the Chain Islands of Alaska and Lewis is now in Australia.

Those sending us subscriptions this week were Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Prather, Cpl. and Mrs. Tommie Mixon, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Doby. Thanks to all of you.

## Hamlin Draws Penalty Because of Fire Losses

Austin, Feb. 16th—Hamlin will have a 10 per cent charge on fire insurance policies for the next 12 months, beginning March 1st, it was announced today by Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner.

The 10 per cent charge, due to heavy losses in Hamlin during the past five years, was made known when annual fire records for Texas cities and towns were completed.

The fire record charge will mean an estimated cost of \$3,695 over the normal premiums for the next year. The estimate is based on fire insurance premium payments in 1942. The charge compares with a 15 per cent charge in effect for the past year.

The fire record for a city or

town is determined by a fixed ratio between losses and premiums figured on a five-year average. The maximum fire credit is 25 per cent. The maximum charge (or penalty), for heavy losses is 15 per cent. In case of a credit, the percentage is deducted from the normal premium.

Hall explained that the fire record system of credits and charges is not to be confused with the key rate for a city or town. The key rate, he pointed out, is determined among other things by the type and quality of fire fighting equipment and water facilities, as well as official adoption of measures to prevent fires.

## Federal Tax Man At City Hall Monday

The Revenue Act of 1942 reduces the personal exemption allowed a single person to \$500.00, and a married couple to \$1,200, on individual income tax returns filed for 1942. In addition, increased surtaxes have been levied upon all net income exceeding personal exemptions in addition to the regular normal tax. This reduction in personal exemption will require many thousands in this District to file income tax returns who have never been required to file before. This office is anxious to aid all taxpayers who desire assistance in preparing their returns.

For this reason, a Deputy Collector of Internal Revenue will visit your city to assist your citizens with their income tax problems. Existing laws do not impose this duty upon us or our employees, but we feel obliged to assist wherever possible. The Deputy's advice and assistance is extended purely as a courtesy and without cost to your citizens.

It is respectfully requested that you give the Deputy Collector's visit to your city as much publicity as possible since your citizens will benefit in direct ratio to the number who have knowledge of his visit.

Deputy Collector Will H. Talbot, will be at Hamlin City Hall, Hamlin, Texas, on February 22, 1943, from 8:30 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. to render assistance with income tax problems to any who desire it. This will be the only visit that can be made to your city before the end of the current filing period on Mar. 15, 1943.

## NEINDA NEWS

Pvt. A. V. Westmoreland and his friend, Corpl. Joe Parmal, now stationed at Hondo, Texas, visited A. V.'s parents here from Thursday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mercer and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Brown and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herchell Hubbard took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gregory Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Brown and son were in Midland Saturday and Sunday.

Pvt. Marion McNeeley visited his father, brother and sisters last week.

Pvt. J. T. Carter is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boss Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tollison and children were in Stamford Sunday, visiting Mrs. C. F. Williams and son.

Little Carl Max Weaver is sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Maynard and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Alvia Maynard and family in Hamlin last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McLendon and son Larry spent Saturday night with Mrs. McLendon's mother, Mrs. Lakey.

Mildred Fields and Jamie Kay Kemp spent Sunday and Monday with Mrs. John Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Dooly and family, Mrs. Fay Hubbard and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hodges and Sam Mack spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hodges.

Mrs. E. O. White visited her daughter, Charlotte Ruth, who is in North Texas State Teachers College, Denton.

Sarah Johnson has been ill the past week.

## THOROUGHbred STALLIONS

I have a very fancy registered stallion for service at my place eight miles west of Hamlin—the Cooper Ranch. Only few outside mares permitted, also have a registered Palomino stallion.

T. COOPER (16P)

## A. S. Joiner Died In Sweetwater Monday

Alexander Smith Joiner was born Dec. 8, 1879 in Lee County, Texas, and died Feb. 15, 1943. Suffering from a heart ailment for some time, his condition became worse and he entered the Sweetwater hospital two weeks before death but he rapidly grew worse and passed away Monday, Feb. 15, despite all efforts.

Funeral services were held at the residence of his eldest son, Elmer Joiner, Tuesday, Feb. 16, 1943, with the Rev. H. E. East officiating. Interment was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of the Barrow Funeral Directors.

He was married to Miss Willie Gibson, Dec. 17, 1898. To this union were born the following children: Elmer of Hamlin, Edgar of Los Angeles, Ala.; Mrs. Lorena Beavers of Hamlin and Winifred who is listed as missing on Bataan.

He is also survived by one brother Henry Joiner of Los Angeles, Calif.; and five grandchildren: Mrs. J. E. McCoy Jr., Buck, Jimmy and Bill Joiner, and Wanda Sue Beavers.

Mr. Joiner had lived in the Abbie and Neinda communities since coming to Jones county in Dec., 1908.

He has departed from this life but his memory will live on in the hearts of the many people he has helped along the way. He might have never collected much of this world's goods, but he stored up a wealth in the hearts of his fellowmen for he never refused to aid any one that needed. So it might be said of him that he was truly a lover of humanity. His family will always remember him as a Dad whose whole life is exemplified by the words he said after he entered the hospital, "I tell you there is a difference in thinking a lot of your family and loving them."

—Contributed by a Loved One (Ed. Note) The Herald appreciates the sketch above so well expressed by a neighbor of the Joiner family. For years the business men of Hamlin have known Mr. Joiner as a straightforward citizen, dependable and friendly. He and his family have had the deepest sympathy since his son Winifred has been missing in the Philippines. The father's heart suffered much anxiety for his boy.

W. L. Walton who has been ill for some time at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Walton, is now in Dallas visiting with his daughters, Mrs. Homer Massey and husband, and Miss Billie Walton, while he is convalescing. Mrs. Massey spent several weeks here with her father during his illness, and Mr. Massey came from Dallas to accompany them home.

T. B. Hall, a groceryman from Abilene, was over for a day last week to visit his brother, W. H. Hall and his old friend, W. L. Cash and wife. Hall says his grocery firm stays open seven days per week, and his "Sunday" comes on Friday. He is one of the men who helped drive the Germans back in 1918, at St. Mehiel, and there he lost a part of his left hand. Now he wants to get at 'em again.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma Shelburne were unfortunate in losing their twin girls, Mary Ilean and Martha Ione, who were born at a hospital in Gainesville in the morning of Feb. 15th. They lived only a few hours. They weighed about 2 1-2 pounds each. Mrs. Shelburne is reported doing well.

Miss Oleta Morris of Hamilton Field, California, is at home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Morris. She is serving as Civil Assistant in the Accounting and Auditing Department.

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"I told you so"



Hindenberg was a soldier who had little taste for politics... and little love for Hitler, forced on him as Chancellor.

This shrewd old Prussian summed up Germany's defeat: "America's brilliant, if pitiless, war industry had entered the service of patriotism and had not failed it... They understood war."

Now history is repeating itself. America's war industry again is pouring out the weapons of war—meeting production goals that seemed fantastic at first.

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And everybody benefits—something the little rabble-rousing dictator will never understand... until, perhaps, in some shadowy hereafter he hears his old commander mutter: "I told you so."

Along this same vein were the prophetic words of Thomas A. Edison who, late in life, said: "...Electric development has only well begun. Electricity will have an

even greater part to play in the world's future, granted that it can be unfettered, with full opportunity for largest possible individual initiative and energy..."

By "unfettered" he meant freedom from political bureaucracy and socialistic control which throttles individual initiative and enterprise.

His successors in the electric field have done a great job in carrying out his prophecy of an even greater future for electricity. But unless it remains "unfettered," his voice, too, may be heard: "I told you so."

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### ASK US FIRST The Herald

## War Stamp Sales Over Half Billion Dollars, Album Drive Opens



Appealing Margaret C. Russell of the War Savings Staff tucks up this new Treasury poster which will be seen from coast to coast. It pictures retailers' slogan, "SAY YES." A drive is underway for Americans to buy additional War Stamps to fill albums and convert them into War Bonds.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The nation's retailers from the tiniest hamlets to the mighty cities are acting as a spearhead in a great Treasury Department campaign to sell the additional War Savings Stamps needed to fill more than 100,000,000 albums now in the hands of the American people.

According to a report released by the Treasury Department today, sales of War Savings Stamps totaled \$559,777,000 for the period from May 1, 1941, through November, 1942.

Stamp sales have risen from less than three million dollars per month when they were first introduced to the public to an average of more than fifty million dollars per month at the present time.

The Treasury's slogan, "A half-

filled album is like a half-equipped soldier," has been adopted officially by retailers for the campaign.

The importance of the drive is seen in the fact that a War Bond potential of nearly two billion dollars hangs in the balance.

Every War Stamp album, converted into a People's Bond, for which the purchaser pays \$18.75 and which matures to \$25.00 value when held for 10 years, adds its force to the war effort.

The Treasury Department is counting upon the country's school children to play a powerful role in the success of the SAY YES drive. The volume of stamp and bond sales is at the rate of \$200,000,000 for the current school year.

U. S. Treasury Department

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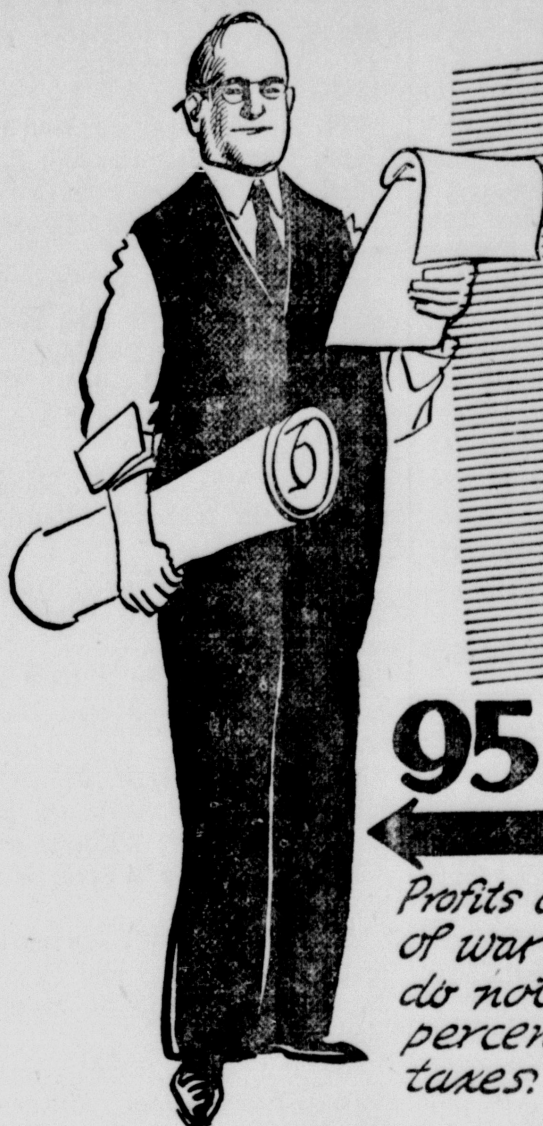
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The chairman of the House Naval Affairs committee reports that, after thorough investigation, only 5 percent of the war contractors were found making excessive profits. These can be automatically sifted out by the Department of Internal Revenue in computing income taxes, so why employ an army of thousands to examine the books of the 95 percent who are honest.

# 95%

Profits of 95 percent of war contractors do not exceed 2 percent after taxes.

Only 5 percent of war contractors are found to make more than 2 percent after taxes.

# 5%



## YOUR STAKE IN THE COST OF WAR

"Renegotiation of war contracts" is a heavy-sounding term, and newspaper readers in the sections of America where public interests are localized and largely agricultural may wonder how such a subject can concern them.

But since every taxpayer has a personal stake in any measure that increases government expense and adds to the public payroll, especially at a time when every dollar is needed for the war effort, then this question of contracts for equipment and supplies becomes vital to all.

### "Renegotiation"

In the early days of lend-lease and of the huge task of mustering an armed force of millions of men, a few contractors receiving fat orders saw in these government contracts only a new gold mine. To meet the relatively small number of abuses which were brought to light, the last Congress passed a law requiring that all new and old Army, Navy and Maritime Commission contracts be written with a "renegotiation" clause, so that they could be refigured in the search for cases where contractors were making too large a profit.

This law requires that the Army, Navy and Maritime commission each employ a separate force of men to re-estimate all contracts for buildings, machinery, tanks, airplanes, guns, clothing, and the thousand items industry must turn out for war use.

The law seemed wise and harmless at first, but evidently it was not realized how large an "army" of employees would be needed to enforce it.

It is estimated that there are some three million such contracts, over 20,000 contractors, and an unknown number of sub-contractors. If the original law were carried out, it might easily require 200,000 new public payrollers, and 300,000 new employees hired by contractors to prepare the data for the federal authorities, and this at a time when manpower is scarce and every able-bodied person is needed for service in uniform or production work at home. The job would take years even after the war.

### Amendments Not Sufficient

Agriculture and industry are short of machinery and manpower, and these men are too badly needed in producing crops and equipment for ourselves and our allies to be wasted in checking up on contracts, especially when there is already an efficient means of doing that work.

True, the original bill has been amended; but the amendments still authorize each department concerned to refigure contract prices. This means the employment of a vast number of special auditors and accountants.

Congressman Disney points out that there should be an automatic method of screening out contractors from those whose profits are not excessive, "so that we will not have to use, in renegotiation, all of the accountants in the country."

A proposed amendment whittles at the original law and limits renegotiation to contracts which show more than 2 per cent profit. But this is no time for half-way measures. That sort of plan would still require a lot of unnecessary employees on both government and contractors' payrolls.

### The Solution

The Internal Revenue department has a yearly check on all profits. It figures the taxes paid in all industries, including those with Army, Navy and Maritime commission contracts. If the Internal Revenue authorities discover an abnormal profit from any war work in any business, after payment of taxes, it could so certify to the department concerned so that renegotiation could be started. The ones that are within the fair and reasonable limit of 2 per cent profit after taxes would require no attention, and in that way millions of man-hours would be saved and duplication of effort, and delays caused by extra forces of employees refiguring contracts, would be avoided.

The Disney amendment, which seems simple and effective, has not yet been adopted. Yet it amply guards against excess profits, with a minimum of interference with war-time production and at the same time providing escape from the new load of non-essential payrollers which the original law threatened.

The ordinary man therefore concludes: Why not let the Internal Revenue tax man do the whole job at one sitting? Why not save the time of industrial management and employees for vital work? Why not use the established check on costs, and at the same time save the expense of extra payrollers?

Most of those payrollers could well be used in the armed service, or on farms, or in factories, or in some other productive kind of work, instead of occupying desks in Washington. They would then be doing something to help win the war.

## USELESS SPENDING

Senator Harry F. Byrd, in a recent press release, said in part:

"The United States Civil Service Commission reports as of August 31, 1942, that there were 2,606,300 employees of the United States government . . . On Armistice Day, November 11, 1918, there was a total of 917,760 civilian federal employees. We have three times that many now. In the last World War we had one civilian employee for every four and one-half members in the armed service. In this war, we have so far one civilian employee to every one and three-fourths members of the armed forces, the ratio being two and one-half times more per soldier, and we are still increasing our civilian personnel at the rate of over 3,000 daily . . . On November 11, 1918, there were thirty agencies of the government. Today there are 81 distinct agencies, many of these making no direct contribution to the war effort."

This remarkable statement should receive the careful consideration of every American citizen. When we consider that, since the release by Senator Byrd, the President has submitted his budget to Congress for the fiscal year, calling for 100 billion dollars for our war effort and nine billion additional for civic expenditures, we gain some idea of what the conduct of this war is going

to mean in the tax burden of the next generation.

### Curtail Civic Spending

No one wants to limit a single activity necessary to win the war, but just ordinary common sense and economy indicate that every unnecessary civic expenditure should wait until the emergency of war has passed.

Right now our new Congress is confronted with the problem of preventing excessive profits on war contracts. Present law provides for "renegotiation" of their separate contracts by the Army and Navy departments and the Maritime commission. There are some three million of these contracts, but probably not 5 per cent will show excessive profits after taxation.

The Internal Revenue department will find every case of excessive profits and, where such profits remain after taxes, can report such cases for "renegotiation." This is practical economy and does the job the most efficient way.

Industry and agriculture, both of which feel the pinch of shortage of manpower, should support Congress in any method it decides upon as practical and economical. Preventing new additions to the payrolls and cutting out useless civic expenditures and payrollers who have nothing to do that is constructive in the war effort will help solve the manpower problem and ease the burden of taxes.

## FLAT TOP NEWS

By Laverne Jenkins

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Whitley and family visited Mrs. M. M. Day in Stamford Sunday.

Mrs. Louise Wilgus is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stremmel.

Mr. Frank Barton and Mrs. Buddy Jenkins visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of Aspermont Tuesday.

Mrs. Viola Brown, Duane Brown and W. S. King spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bennit and Mr. and Mrs. Lum Sullivan in Neinda.

Frank Barton and daughter, Betty Jean, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Louie Jones in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Stovall of Abilene, Clifford Buning and Geo. Long of Stamford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wash Perryman of Wise Chapel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eli Bruner.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Nelson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holloway at Neinda.

The Defense Club met Friday evening and had a pie supper. P. C. Wylie of Anson made an interesting talk on Food and Feed Production, and the salvage drive for fats, silks and tin cans. \$496 worth of stamps and bonds were sold. The next meeting will be on Friday evening, Feb. 26 when Mrs. Eli Bruner and Mrs. Larry Holmes will entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown attended the Chamber of Commerce banquet at Hamlin Tuesday night.

Don't forget the preaching services here Sunday morning and night.

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### LOST

Fender skirt for '41 Chevy, Monday, somewhere between Boyd Chapel and Neinda. Finder notify the Herald or HOWARD JENKINS (c)

### FOR ROSE BUSHES, HEDGE

and other shrubbery and pot plants, see (16-2t)

HAMLIN FLOWER SHOP

### FARM FOR RENT

Have for rent the Mrs. McClung farm four miles south of McCaulley. Cash rent required or would sell. See F. E. CAUBLE, Hamlin. (P)

### RICK OF FEED

Have 2,000 bundles hegari and 500 bushels of cane on the Ernest Jenkins place in Wise Chapel community for sale. This feed is 2 years old. MRS. J. W. JENKINS (P)

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# Clubs-Society



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## Miss Inez Wallace Becomes Bride of Cpl. R. C. Mixon

Miss Inez Wallace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Wallace, became the bride of Cpl. R. C. Mixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Mixon of Abilene, early Sunday, February 14th, in the home of Rev. H. E. East.

The bride is a graduate of the class of 1942 of Hamlin High school and has been employed in Abilene since August.

Corporal Mixon was also employed in Abilene until he joined the army in September. The couple will make their home in Neosho, Mo., where Cpl. Mixon is now stationed at Camp Crowder.

## The First BAPTIST CHURCH

Thank you for helping us have a wonderful service last Sunday morning. It was a real inspiration to preach to such a wonderful congregation. Wish you would put the ushers to work bringing in chairs at every service. We hope the pictures made of parents and wives of men and women in service will be good.

We were disappointed last Sunday because our flags did not arrive, making it impossible to have the flag service as we had planned. The Express Company delivered the staffs, but the flags were not delivered until Monday. We will have the special flag service next Sunday morning. We urge you to come.

Sunday School, 10:00 A. M.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.  
Training Unions, 7:00 P. M.  
Evening Worship, 8:00 P. M.  
Mid-week Service, 7:45 Wednesday.

H. E. East, Pastor  
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## Card of Thanks

We want to thank everyone who so patiently administered to the comfort of our loved one during his long illness and for the many expressions of sympathy when death took from us our dear husband and father. Our sorrows have been so heavy recently and the interest and sympathy of our friends and neighbors have been so consoling to our hearts, and we want everyone to know we deeply appreciate and thank you.

Mrs. A. S. Joiner and Children  
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Miss Beulah Herrington of Abilene came over last Friday to visit with Mrs. J. V. Milsap, who is a bit handicapped from an injury from a fall a few days ago.

## Marriage Announced

Miss Chessie Westbrook of Hamlin and Mack Perdue of Haskell were married last Friday, February 12, here at the Nazarene parsonage with Rev. Dan D. Jones performing the ceremony.

Immediately following the ceremony, the couple left for San Antonio, where they will make their home. Mr. Perdue is employed in Defense Work in that city.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

Doyle Banta, Minister

### SUNDAY

Bible Study at 10:00 A. M.  
Worship Service at 11:00 A. M.  
Bible Study at 6:30 P. M.  
Worship hour at 7:30 P. M.

### MONDAY

Ladies' Bible class at 3:30 P. M.

### WEDNESDAY

Bible Study at 7:30 P. M.  
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## BIRTHS

The following births were announced from the Weir Clinic.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ambrosia Britto, Feb. 5, a boy, Ambrosia Britto, Jr. The Brittos live on a Route.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hall announce the birth of a son, Curtis Leslie, on Feb. 9th.

Corporal and Mrs. J. V. Walraven announce the birth of a son, Jerry Martin, Feb. 10th. The baby weighed 9 pounds. Mrs. Walraven is the former Doris Hudson, and the Corp. is located at Ft. Knox, Kentucky.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Woolf, a fine 8 and half pound boy Bobby Lewis, Wednesday morning, February 17, at the Hamlin Clinic on Central Avenue.

## Religious Services

Beginning Saturday night, a non-denominational revival will start in the Bates Building in South Hamlin. This program is known as "Full Gospel Mission." We welcome everybody to enjoy these services with us, especially during the coming week.

SID LILES, Sponsor  
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The Herald has a card from O. G. Harvey, Box 177, Port Barre, La., asking for his Herald to be sent there. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey and little daughter left last week for their new location. Mr. Harvey has been with the Shell Pipe Line Co. here for several years and has built a wide circle of friends in Hamlin.

## WISE CHAPEL NEWS

By Catherine Drake

Here we come again after several weeks of absence. The writer has been out of the community the last two weeks.

Miss Faye Neill spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bingham of Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bonds spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bonds at Hamlin.

Connie Drake and sisters visited Mrs. T. K. Smith at Aspermont Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Flenniken have moved to Neinda. We hate to give these good people up, but we welcome Mr. and Mrs. Jack Collins in their place.

Mrs. Dave Herbst is taking treatment at the Stamford hospital for sinus trouble.

Catherine Drake visited in Lueders and Moran the last two weeks. Several cases of whopping cough are in our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Neill and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bingham at Anson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jones and children of Sweetwater spent the week end with their sister, Mrs. C. E. LaBaume.

## BOYD CHAPEL CHIRPS

By Mrs. James Ferguson

Rev. Baty of Abilene filled his regular appointment at both the morning and evening services Sunday.

Those who took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cowley Sunday were Rev. and Mrs. Baty, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. Alvy Dean.

A number of women of our community met at the Baptist church Monday in an all day meeting to do sewing for the Red Cross. Several garments were completed. There will be an all day meeting each Tuesday to do Red Cross work.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Young and Clois went to Temple Thursday to visit Dee who is in a hospital there. Mr. Young and Clois returned Saturday and Mrs. Young will stay several days with Dee. We are glad to learn that Dee is rapidly recovering and able to sit in a wheel chair.

Miss Willard Bristow went to Muleshoe Sunday to visit for several days with her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bristow.

The Defense Club will meet next Thursday evening the 24th at the school house with Mrs. R. L. Milsap and Mrs. Thomps Young entertaining. There will be a White

Elephant sale and if you have something that you would like to sell by a good auctioneer, please bring it along and do not forget the children might like to buy something too. The women are asked to bring sandwiches. Our Red Cross quota is \$50.00 for the month of March, so please come to these meetings and spend some of your money for a worthy cause.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bingham attended the Chamber of Commerce banquet at Hamlin Tuesday night.

Those who spent last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Es-

tes were Mrs. Ella Hale, Mrs. J. P. Hale and Mrs. Floyd Hale.

Miss Pollie Kelly and Lois Allen were united in marriage last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Rodgers have moved to the Rumfield farm.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Young were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Milsap.

Miss Yvonne Young visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. O'Neal last week end.

Mrs. Maggie Dunn of near McCaulley is visiting relatives of our community this week.

Elmer Brewer who has been a welder in the big bomber plant in Amarillo, came back home this week, and will likely enter some other form of service elsewhere.

## CHICKENS — TURKEYS

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Reg. \$2.98 Sale \$2.39

## Men's Work Shoes

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TALISMAN (2-TONED) 4  
TOTAL BUSHES 19

(C) 24 Rose Bushes \$335  
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ETOLE DE HOLLANDE (SCARLET) 3  
CONDESSA DE CASTAGO (2-TONED) 2  
TOTAL BUSHES 24

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The Hamlin Herald



## POT SHOTS FROM M'CAULLEY

BY GEO. DARDEN

A fine program sponsored by the Home Demonstration club of McCaulley and by the pupils of Mrs. L. E. Rector for the benefit of the Infantile Paralysis Fund was given at the school house last Thursday nite. Thirty-five citizens of this community contributed thirty dollars to this worthy cause. Those who gave that others may walk were: H. P. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maberry, Luther Maberry, P. L. Ferrel, Levi McCollum, L. H. Boyd, Sherman Houghton, E. C. Waldrop, Mrs. Della Fancher, Mrs. Mustain, Geo. West, Omar Prather, Geo. Darden, W. R. Redus, C. A. McHone, J. I. Parker, Mr. Hicks, Ben Kemp, Mr. Rosenbaum, Mrs. Ralph Bishop, Mrs. Teal, Tom Carter, Frank Kemp, L. E. Rector, Mrs. J. A. Jackson, Mrs. Abbott, Mrs. J. W. Rush, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Laura Courtney, F. L. Rector, Mrs. M. L. Akins, Turner and Ray Pope, Ellis Eivens and Mrs. Kidd, Johnnie Max Jones, Bud Lee and Billie Akins. Others contributing down in town Friday morning were: S. E. Miers, Ed Mason, J. M. Humphries, W. A. Hemphill and J. S. Dean, and at this writing the amount has swelled to \$35.00.

At this writing Mrs. O. M. Henderson is critically ill in a Sweetwater hospital. Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Miers of Fort Worth are here to be at the bedside of Mrs. Henderson who is the mother of Mrs. Miers.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook are in New Jersey at the bedside of their son, Pvt. A. J. Cook, who is very ill with spinal meningitis.

Buford Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jackson, is recovering in an Abilene hospital after suffering a broken leg and other injuries

received while attending Hardin-Simmons University. Further comments in this week's O'Gram.

We acknowledge a good letter from our old friend, Joe Hunter, who is at Camp Bradford, Norfolk, Va. Joe has been made engineer of a power station at Camp Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Bunkley and daughter of Wienert, Texas, were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pickron.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Dick were at Crosbyton last week end visiting with daughters.

Petty thieves sometimes make big thieves. There have been many reports of articles being taken as well as money at the school house, and from business houses and it is high time that this petty stealing stops in McCaulley. Sooner or later those responsible will be caught and it will be quite embarrassing for the guilty ones. Those who dance must pay the fiddler.

Several home town citizens enjoyed the Chamber of Commerce banquet at Hamlin Tuesday night. It is mighty fine any time to partake of the hospitality shown by our Hamlin neighbors.

Fisher Co. Ass'n. W. M. U. Mission Study Institute, at Baptist Church Roby, Texas, Feb. 24, 1943

10 to 15:15—Devotional, Mrs. Etta Stephenson.

10:15 to 11—Panel Discussion on Mission Study, Mrs. R. L. Brown.

11 to 11:45—Int. G. A. and R. A. book presented by Mrs. D. L. Smith.

11:45 to 12:15—Inspirational message, Mrs. R. L. Brown.

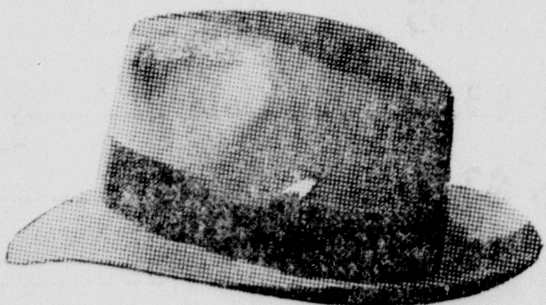
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Tender Sweet	POTATOES Red McClure, 5 LBS.		18c
3 Bun.	Potatoes Florida New	3 Lbs.	19¢
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Salt	Jefferson Island Square Box	24-Oz. Pkg.	5¢

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# SAFEWAY

ments by Association 1 President, Mrs. L. L. Trotter.

1:15 to 2:05—Sunbeam book presented by Mrs. O. D. Henley.

2:05 to 2:45—Jr. G. A. and R. A. book presented by Mrs. J. Paul Turner.

2:45 to 3:30—W. M. S. and Y. W. A. book presented by Mrs. R. L. Brown.

The State Mission Study Chairman, Mrs. R. L. Brown, will be with us for this Institute. We urge every one who possibly can to attend this Institute as Mrs. Brown will be able to give us much information on this subject.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Griffin held open house on Sunday, Feb. 7th, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Brown who were home on leave from training base. Some twenty-five guests called and dinner was served at 6 P. M. Cyril Brown is in the Coast Guard.

Don't fail to read the editorial in last Sunday's Star-Telegram. It expresses the views of Texans who are more interested in the winning

of this war, than the advertising which Senator Pappy hopes to get. Folks who do not like the new deal enough to co-operate until the war is won should at least keep their mouths shut or else get on the band wagon. Even a senator can pop off when he might do more good by listening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Powers and daughter Patsy Vee spent last week end with relatives at Carlton, Tex.

The Matrons Home Making Class at the Baptist church was taught last Sunday by Mrs. Etta Stephenson in the absence of the teacher, Mrs. W. C. Jackson. All members are urged to be present next Sunday.

Mrs. Noveta Smith has returned home after a visit with her husband Pvt. Lendon Smith, who is stationed in Kentucky.

Comment No. 1—The President's speech to the nation Friday night was a fighting talk. He made it very plain that there would be no peace only by the unconditional surrender of the axis powers, and that is what

the American people want. Hitler, Mussa and Tojo may as well hang out welcomes signs in the streets of Berlin, Rome and Tokyo, because the Americans will be marching down their streets—one of these days.

Comment No. 2—The big shot Republican, Joe W. Martin, was on the radio after the President's address, and he was giving the new deal up and down the country and from his talk we are on the road to a dictatorship. He complained of killing the hogs and cattle several years ago, and he further stated that we could use those little pigs and cattle now. But folks, he failed to mention that the cattle and pigs killed was due to the fact that they were slowly starving to death all on account of a Republican administration which never provided the farmers feed for their livestock. After all, it is more human to kill starving livestock and besides the new deal paid for all livestock killed, and the Hoover administration wouldn't even buy the feed to keep them

alive. We ask you confidentially, what was the most human thing to do?

Comment No. 3—One of our home boys was injured last week. He suffered a broken leg and other painful injuries while attending Hardin-Simmons University, and the whole thing was caused from hazing by upper classmen. It seems to us that parents sacrifice plenty when they send their offsprings away to school, and in many cases students attend college on borrowed money, and we say, that upper classmen have little to do, especially in war time, when they practice hazing. Who ever is responsible for the injury of this boy should be called in the army at once and let them play their rough pranks on the Japs and the Hitler boys.

(George, by-George, maybe responsibility for hazing lies in ages higher than 38 years, then what?)

A DARDEN-O-GRAM

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## Safeway Meats

<b>Pot Roast</b>	Blade Bone Grade "AA" Beef	Lb.	<b>29¢</b>	<b>Sausage</b>	Decker Town- Club, in Sack	Lb.	<b>39¢</b>
<b>Pot Roast</b>	Blade Bone Grade "A" Beef	Lb.	<b>27¢</b>	<b>Hog Head Cheese</b>		Lb.	<b>29¢</b>
<b>Beef Liver</b>	Fresh Sliced	Lb.	<b>35¢</b>	<b>Franks</b>	Armour Star or Decker Lowana	Lb.	<b>33¢</b>
<b>Pork Liver</b>	Fresh Sliced	Lb.	<b>25¢</b>	<b>Baked Loaves</b>	Assorted Kinds	Lb.	<b>29¢</b>
<b>Fresh Brains</b>	Scramble with Eggs	Lb.	<b>19¢</b>	<b>Baby Halibut</b>		Lb.	<b>35¢</b>
<b>Bulk Sausage</b>	Country Style	Lb.	<b>29¢</b>	<b>Perch Fillets</b>		Lb.	<b>32¢</b>